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Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1904:
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,
of New York.

For Circuit Judge:
S. G. KINNER.

For Commonwealths Attorney:
JOHN M. WAUGH.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce
J. W. PERRY,
as a candidate for the Legislature, to represent the counties of Lawrence and Boyd, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
J. S. THOMPSON,
as a candidate for Representative in the Legislature, from the district composed of Lawrence and Boyd counties, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN B. SEE,
as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
R. A. STONE,
as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
WM. CORDLE,
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We are authorized to announce
BERT SHANNON,
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Advertising is like Providence.
It helps those who help themselves.

A report from Berea, Ky., says there are now at least 200 negroes attending the mixed school at that place.

The attorneys for Jim Howard are making strenuous efforts to show that Henry Yountsey or Dr. W. R. Johnson fired the shot that killed Gov. William Goebel. Howard was active in making suggestions to his lawyers.

The decision of the United States Court of Appeals declaring the railroad trust to be illegal is causing more comment and greater interest throughout the country than any that has been rendered for several years. It is considered the first serious blow to the trusts.

President Williams, of the Seaboard Air Line railroad, has given out an interview on the decision in the Northern Securities case. He declares that the court's action should be hailed as an exposition of sound law and a public blessing. Mr. Williams expressed his belief that by checking Mr. Morgan's plans for a Southern Securities Company the decision has benefited railroads in the South. He takes the position that legitimate railroad enterprises will be helped by the decision, and points out the danger of having a financial czar in a political republic.

If you need a typewriter buy an Oliver. It is the best machine made. You can get this machine at Conley's store.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

When 10 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. In a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health.

For The Children

biliousness, constipation, prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

KINNER.

Rain has stopped the farmers from work.
Sunday School was organized Sunday at Horsford Sunday with a large attendance.
Miss Lucy Skeens went to Louisa last Sunday.
Mrs. Margaret Baskirk visited at Henry Loar's Saturday.
Henry Loar went to Bear creek last week.
Miss Grovie Loar visited Miss Lucy Skeens Sunday.
Boatriding is all the go.
Blaine and John Loar, of this place, have taken jobs on the railroad on the upper end of Wolford's contract.
Bleeding heart.

INEZ.

County court is in session.
U. S. marshal Salyer is here.
The 3d Quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church, South, will be held here the 2d and 3d of May.
Samuel Cassidy is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.
Hatten & Davis, photographers from Buchanan, are here.
Two persons were baptized Sunday by Rev. Patrick.
On Sunday, April 12, "Jim" Starshot an Italian railroad boss. The news is that he is dying. Star is the son of William Star, of Mingo county. A few years ago he killed Daggers Chaffin and was sent to the penitentiary, after which the Governor let him out on good behavior. He is apt to have a chance to visit his old home. He has been keeping a saloon for some time just above Warfield, on the W. Va. side, where the shooting took place.
The ancient order of the T.F.F. meets regularly. It is doing good work with Marion Hale as President and John Horn for Secretary. Dr. J. M. Johnson and Frank Wright have recently become members.

ZELDA.

Married, on the 8th, Ira Copley to Miss Zelda Lambert, the charming daughter of Henry Lambert. The groom is the son of W. M. Copley, both of this place. The wedding was a surprise to our people. The bride is one of Lawrence county's best girls. Mr. Copley is certainly lucky, and is to be congratulated. We extend congratulations.
Mrs. Dock Bradley returned home last Wednesday from a visit at Coalton. G. B. Rickman went to Louisa Monday.
W. A. Bradley, who has been at the Soldiers Home for some time, has returned home.
U. S. Prince, of Ashland, was here Monday.
Misses Alice and Sallie Rickman were guests of Miss Lottie Rickman Sunday.
Lewis Yates went to Fallsburg Saturday.
Bass Burke, of Kinner, was here Friday.
Strother Thompson, of Hubbards-town, was in our little town Saturday. We are having lots of wet weather and the farmers are getting behind with their work. Black eyes.

ULYSSES.

After a suspension of three or four months, the steam shovel is in operation again just opposite Borders Chapel.
The Methodist Quarterly meeting convened here recently and we heard some good sermons from Presiding Elder Howes.
Miss Virgie Brown, of Paintsville, is the guest of Joe Preston.
Cleveland Castle has returned from Cabin creek.
Rev. T. S. Williamson preached at Borders Chapel Sunday. We cordially invite them to our midst again.
Henry Elderman, who came from Europe some 40 years ago, is now paying a visit to Holland. He has been gone two or three weeks, and will not return for several months.
Wm. Boyd, of Ashland, visited home folks recently.
Ed Boyd and wife are visiting in Catlettsburg.
While in a field near home Louis Boyd and Freelin Miller were greatly astonished by seeing a buzzard flying over, colored with a sheep bell.
While your scribble was at Whitehouse last Friday the train arrived with a load of Africans. They marched from the train down to the boat with their baggage, sweaters, and banyos. They were going to work on the railroad.
Monroe Borders has located at Milton Burton branch.
Frank Allen contemplates a visit to Joseph Preston's.
Aunt Lizzie Ward is visiting at Flat Gap.
The News is a welcome guest in our home every Friday. Emerald.

HULETT.

There will be preaching at Newcomb the 3d Sunday in this month by Rev. Miller.
The people at this place are sowing oats.
The party at Gene Queens was largely attended.
Misses Ida and Bessie Fannin and Sallie and Effie Higgins and Wade and Dina Queen were guests of Bessie and Sallie Queen.
We are glad to say that Mrs. Bettie Frasier, who has been sick, is improving.
Fred Jackson called on Mary Queen Sunday.
Misses Hattie Workman and Sallie Queen attended meeting at Tyra Sunday.
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Mr. French and Kinner Harmon are expected home from East Liverpool in the near future.
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MADGE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts, who has been very sick, is improving.
J. A. Moffett and wife, and son Cecil, of Catlettsburg, have been visiting at Rose Hill Cottage and Buysville.
The former is the beautiful home of Mrs. Moffett's parents.
Born to the wife of Garfield Roberts, a girl.
Grant Roberts and wife spent Easter with S. Roberts and wife.
Uncle Joe says, "Oh my, I love to go to Buysville, they are having such a good Sunday school."
Mrs. Mattie Meek visited her step-sister, Mrs. Maggie Vaughan last week. Dad's Boy.

HULETT.

Miss Alice Cochran, of Fallersburg, was the guest of Miss Susie Nunley last week.
Harry Nunley and wife visited on Rose creek Sunday.
Little Elsie Frazier, who has been sick for some time, is no better.
Mrs. C. R. Layne visited home folks recently.
S. G. Queen and Mrs. John Wooten visited James Frasier and wife recently.
Mattie Burton visited her aunt on Rose creek Sunday.
Rev. Jerry Riffe was here last week.
Mrs. Belle Hulet, of Buchanan, is visiting here.
Lewis Nunley made a business trip to Catlettsburg last week.
Lewis Clay, of Whites Creek, passed here last week.
John Wooten, who has been ill for some time, is better.
Misses Sallie Queen and Ona O'Daniel visited Ella O'Daniel Sunday.
Caper Frasier and wife called at Elce Barnes Sunday.

LICK CREEK.

J. A. and E. J. Castle have returned from Columbus.
C. W. Snow is visiting friends on Lick creek.
Rabston Stanley and Arndus Wellman were seen going down the creek Sunday.
Misses Fannie Castle and Ella Compton visited Harry Castle and wife Sunday.
Marion and Harrison Wilson have moved their saw mill up on Rabson.
Charley Wellman has returned from Round Bottom.
Miss Vadie Castle visited her sister, Mrs. James Boggs last week.
There was preaching at Flea chapel Sunday.
Vincent Thompson is very sick at this writing.
Steward Thompson was on this creek last week.
Jackie Webb has moved back to this creek.
Marion McCann and wife visited the latter's parents Sunday.
Ross and Ira Boggs have returned from Thacker.
Mrs. H. W. Castle, who has been sick, is improving.
There will be a wedding on our creek Sunday.
Bill Little, of Ironton, is visiting on this creek.
Albert Childers was at Torchlight Sunday.

HICKSVILLE.

Married, on the 8th inst. at 6 o'clock p. m., Chit Osborn and Miss Nora Williams. The groom is a son of Loss Osborn, of Blaine, and is one of Lawrence county's best teachers. The bride is a daughter of H. E. Williams, a well-to-do farmer and merchant of this place. The groom is 30 years of age and the bride 18. They are both well respected by all who knew them. We wish them well.
Mrs. Stella Moore, of Boyd county, is visiting here.
Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Gambill and Peter Miller are attending Elsie Court at Paintsville.
D. H. Lyon, who had smallpox at our last writing, is better, but some of his family is very low.
D. H. Ferguson was at N. W. Williams today.
Lewis Lemaster went to Paintsville Monday.
A. C. Williams visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Diles Tuesday.
A. M. Sagraves was the guest of E. D. Diles Sunday.
An infant child of Enoch Green's is at the point of death.
James Sagraves, of Whitehouse, was here Saturday.
M. L. McDowell has gone to Paintsville to get a place to move to work on the railroad.
A. M. Sagraves went to Blaine Monday.
The wet weather is putting farmers behind with their work.
M. F. Brown has just returned from Huntington, where he has been to lay in a supply of goods.
H. C. Hicks has recently purchased a pair of mules.
Grover Hicks and others attended church at Braumans Gap Sunday.
Willie Arrington is boarding on Lick creek.
It has been prognosticated that we are soon to have a Sunday School at this place. We hope this will prove true.
A. L. Hicks, one of our most prominent young men, left here last week for Brunsdon, where he will accept a position with S. D. Newell & Co. as clerk in store.
G. C. Hicks made a business trip to Grayson last week.
C. P. Fischer, of Webbville, passed here last week.
Miss Zella Watson was the pleasant guest of Miss Isabel Hicks Sunday evening.
The cold weather here recently did much damage to the fruit.

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PORT GAY.

Our streets are in a bad condition owing to the contractor dragging stone over them.
Mr. Honaker has had the paint brush applied to his house, which is improving its looks.
Mr. Ritz and wife, of Indiana, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Billups.
Mrs. Simpkins, of Devann, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Jane Marcum, last week.
Miss Williams visited Miss Nolla Vanhouse last week.
Miss Jessie Maynard is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Copley, of Paducah creek.
Tom Maynard, of Devann, is visiting his aunt, Miss Nan Marcum.
Miss Nan Marcum has opened a hotel in the house formerly known as the Ratcliff house.
Born, on the 12th, to Hiram Chabtree and wife, a 10-pound boy.
Easter Flower.

PEACH ORCHARD.

Clark Mead died, on the 10th, after a very short illness. He was buried Sunday with Masonic honors. Odd Fellows and Mutual Protection taking part in the service.
A. V. Talbert has returned from Ashland where he underwent a successful operation at the hands of Drs. Bagfield and Tamber for a defective foot, which seemed to be the result of having a tooth extracted some years ago.
Mrs. David Spence has been visiting in Louisa.
Our magistrate, J. W. Perry, recently made a business trip to Boston, Mass., New York, and Washington, and is now at Huntington.
John Hibbard has been on Cats Fork surveying.
Mrs. C. C. Rose is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kate Woods, in Huntington.
A. J. Balcom is here with a crew of men at work on the pipe line.
Ralph Chaffin, bookkeeper for the Peach Orchard Coal Company was in Ashland and Huntington Saturday and Sunday.
Wm. Quisenberry is not improving as fast as he did for awhile.
The Sunday school is getting along nicely with David Spence as Supt.

BEAR CREEK.

There will be preaching at Tyre chapel Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Miller.
Our Sunday school is progressing nicely.
James Clay, who has been sick for some time, we are sorry to say is no better.
Mrs. John Ross is improving.
Born, recently to Joe White and wife, a boy.
Married, on the 8th, Ira Copley to Miss Zelda Lambert. We extend congratulations.
Bill White was seen on our creek Sunday.
Bert Mullins has returned home from Greenwood, where he has been attending school.
Mrs. Eva Queen and Ida Lakins have been visiting their sister, Mrs. John Ross.
Joe Lemons was in Catlettsburg Wednesday.
Bill Cornwell passed here Sunday en route to Whites Creek.
Sophia Ross and Mary Bookok visited friends and relatives near Culbertson Friday.
Sam Workman was on Rose creek Sunday.

VESIE.

Farmers are very busy with their spring work but most of them are two or three weeks behind time.
The late freeze did some damage to fruit but present prospects are good for a fine crop of apples with some peaches.
The protocol signed at Trinity two weeks ago hasn't been violated as far as we know, and we hope the Grand jury will make a treaty that will be ratified by Circuit Court in such a way that perfect peace will forever reign at Trinity.
Bob Yates, who was tried in Squire Giles's court for drawing a revolver on a man on board with Al Hays at Louisa.
V. B. Shortridge after receiving an appointment as Deputy Sheriff is attempting to arrest Coffee Bill Riffe, came near losing his life. Riffe drew a knife and cut at Shortridge in a wicked manner. He was, however, overcome and placed under arrest but gave the officer a good run and made his escape.
Mrs. Samantha Shortridge, who has been confined to her room for some time with pulmonary tuberculosis, is able to walk about we are pleased to report.
Mrs. Ella Queen is confined to her room and has been for several days.
Alford Sexton went to Rush last week and sold his fine horse to his brother.
George Handley had the misfortune to lose a very fine steer, a calf falling on him during the heavy windstorm.
A quarterly meeting of the Grassland Dist. was held at Trinity Sunday and was largely attended. Rev. Donahoe P. E. presided and preached some very interesting sermons. On Sunday he preached on missionary work and his discourse showed that he was thoroughly in touch with his work. He is a very logical and earnest speaker.
Gene Belcher, who moved to Colorado last June for the benefit of his wife's health came back last week. The climate did not prove beneficial to his wife who is now very low with consumption and is expected to live but a short time.
Crockett.

Several of our boys went to Charley to attend the Easter entertainment and report a good time. Then after dinner was over they all went to the church house at Matfield where Rev. G. V. Moore and brother J. H. preached a very interesting sermon from the text, "For this God is our God for ever and ever he will be our guide even unto death." Psalms, 48 chapter and 14 verse.

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BUCHANAN.

Our "Easter offering sale" held last Saturday was a decided success, proceeds \$417.00. An immense crowd attended and all reports are fine. Proceeds are to be used to repair our parsonage.
Rev. John T. Johnson preached an interesting sermon to a large crowd at Kavanagh Chapel East-er.
Sam Branham of New Yorkville is here this week. Dr. A. P. Hanfield spent last week in Cincinnati.
Miss Mattie McKee, of Louisa, is visiting Miss Blanche Mikels.
Jas. Stump Jr. of C. & O. Carpenter force spent Sunday at home.
Albert Stewart is moved into the house recently vacated by Henry Duffy.
Mrs. Will Ross of Ashland spent Saturday here. Mrs. S. S. Smith and son Warren of Catlettsburg spent Sunday with home folks.
John G. Kinner was in Parkersburg last week. Miss Leola Stewart and sister Riddle of Darban attended our offering sale. Our sick are: Mrs. Wm. Wellman, Mrs. W. B. F. Ball and little son Vance and Mrs. Frank Wellman. We trust for their speedy recovery.
Wm. Cartmel and family of Belmont, W. Va. are here on a visit. Mrs. Emma Crider of Texas is visiting here. Synod.

BUSSEYVILLE.

Johnson Thompson, who is now engaged in painting the church building at Forks of Blaine, was seen to act so peculiar one day last week that friends became alarmed lest he contemplated suicide, but when real facts were known, it only proved that John's wife had presented him with a new boy the night before and John was only celebrating.
Easter exercises were just splendid. An excellent program was rendered delightfully, to a large audience cheerfully greeted, and a liberal offering was tendered.
We are exceedingly gratified to notice that the Kentucky Educational Association, which convenes in Mayville, June 24, 1903, has made Prof. Geo. W. Chapman, one of Lawrence county's former County Superintendents, its Supt. of City Schools of Greenup, President of Music Section. That this department will be a success is fully assured from the fact that Prof. Chapman, like many other Big Sandy boys, never does anything by halves.
Chris Thompson now has a talking box in his store, and can talk, as far as wire extends.
Misses Ethel Pigg and Alta Lakins, two of the leading young ladies in the social arena of Yatesville, visited Miss Ivory Pigg last Saturday, and enjoyed themselves greatly.
Gladie Dick, Moskey, for many years a citizen of our neighborhood, always active and industrious, is now confined at home with sickness and is totally blind, we are informed, and must be led to his meals and fed as a mere child. A very sad affliction to fall upon any one. Mr. J. P. Hughes is slowly recovering from the severe attack of fever. Our genial huckster, H. J. Pack, of Blaine, came near losing a fine horse one day last week in a mud hole near the county poor house. The poor animal became entangled in "the coils" of the mud, and was given up for lost when the services of another team were secured, and with long chain and horse power used sawing fashion, he was extricated, and is still a good family horse. Something should be done with such dangerous places in our roads. It is to be hoped that Mr. Roberts will look a little after them.
Buckskin Boss.

MATTHE.

Weather fine and farmers are very busy preparing for crops. Some are done sowing oats and nearly all are plowing for corn.
We are glad to note that Seofield Jordan is getting better.
There is a great deal of sickness on our creek at this writing.
April 12th being Easter Sunday and also the birthday of Rev. J. G. Thompson he gave a big dinner and invited a number of friends to come and enjoy the day with him.
About 125 were present and when dinner was announced and all went to the dining room, everything that was good and inviting was there to eat. They all enjoyed each other's company, and especially the dinner. There were presents given to Mr. Thompson to the amount of fifteen or twenty dollars, which was appreciated by him. Rev. W. H. C. McKluster took the names of all present to see how many, if any, will be called away by death by next Easter Sunday. Those who waited on the table at Rev. J. G. Thompson's were Rev. B. F. Thompson, Mrs. Jas. McComis, Mrs. C. B. Moore and Mrs. David Justice.
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RETRAH.

Misses Ida Browning, Alice, May and Mace Cassidy and Charley and Ed Church attended the flower party, Mary and John Workman are off on a visit.
Frony Neal, Goldie, Rollen and Jesse Short, Bessie and Martha Jones, Conrad and Charley Short were gathering ferns and sweets from the hillside Sunday.
Eva, Estey and May Jones visited their grandpa Scott Sunday. On crossing the creek the foot-log gave way, but they were carried out safely.
David, Willie, Charlie and Allie Dorfield are gardening.
Alfred Rice and Marion Scott say there are plenty of fish, judging from their tracks in the sand.
Marie Riley has returned from a visit to home.
Ed Riley is repairing his saw mill.
Benny Haws is making regular trips up the creek.
Marion and Webb Roberts will attend Sunday school at Green Valley.
Everybody is invited to attend Sunday school at Green Valley Sunday.

ADAMS.

Jack and Thoma Carnutte attended church at Forks of Little Blaine Sunday. A letter from John Dooley, who started for far-away Washington, finds him settled in Boyd county, well satisfied.
Mrs. D. L. Moore, who has been suffering with lagrip, is able to be out. Mrs. Nan Adams called on Mrs. W. D. Curran Saturday.
Gypsy Haws visited Tennie Sparks Sunday.
Milt Burgess passed down our creek Saturday.
Henry Pack and wife and Mrs. Louise Gussler visited J. R. Spencer and wife Sunday.
Born to W. D. Curran and wife, a boy.
Emma Curran visited Lottie Adams Saturday.
Dr. Dean visited his sister, Mrs. Barrett, at Hamlin, last week.
Dave and Jim Adams visited John Curran Sunday.
M. L. Hayes has a new lot of spring goods.
Let us hear from Emerald and Rich creek. Phelma.

GEORGES CREEK.

Red Edwards has moved into the house recently vacated by William Le-Anderson.
Anderson Boyd visited home folks Sunday.
James Boyd is visiting his sister on Rose creek.
Miss Fannie Williamson spent Sunday with her schoolmates, Rhoda and Hattie Carter.
Mrs. Reb Miller visited her parents Sunday.
Mrs. Bas Castle and Mrs. Harve Williamson visited Miss Mary Fannin Sunday.
Hallard Castle visited home folks this week for the first time in over two years.
Mrs. Lou Compton visited Mrs. Andy Boyd Sunday.
Mrs. Louisa Boyd visited home folks Sunday.
W. B. Davis left recently and broke a rib.
L. C. Compton is also carrying a broken rib.
Bert Compton has moved to John Preston's, and George Scarberry occupies the house vacated by him.
Jas. Boyd contemplates a visit to Inez soon. YYY

EAST POINT.

Hark! The wedding bells.
Miss Minnie Crider to Mr. Burnett; Miss Edith Centers to Lonzo Spencer; Miss Laura Patrick to Ben George; Miss Margaret Kelley has been visiting friends here this week. Master Evert Robinson of Catlettsburg is visiting his grandfather here. Mr. Jas. Dickery, R. L. engineer is visiting relatives at Covington, Va.
Misses Mattie Rice, Annie Muske and Lizzie Friend and Messrs. Frank Rice, Marion Sturgill and Burgess spent Easter in Paintsville.
Born to Frank Greer and wife, a boy; to Saml. Spears and wife, a girl.
The men at R. R. Camp were on the hunt for runaway "niggers" Thursday. Last week a rock from the bluffs was sent through the Missionary Church building, arousing the temper of some of our townsmen.
Mrs. Ruby Price, who has been visiting here for the past month, has returned to her home on Little Paint.
Mrs. Spradlin of Millers Creek is visiting her father.
Edward Womack has gone to Prestonsburg, Dr. H. W. Hatcher graduated at St. Louis Medical College on the 8th and will be at home soon.
The "Saints" have organized a S. S. Rev. Kease has taken charge of E. Church South.
Hons. Blaine has returned to East Point from a visit to relatives on Blaine. He is now engaged on the R. R.
Mrs. Mollie Stratton of Hager Shoal died recently.
Misses Anna Lee Hunt of River-view and Misses Agnes and Annie Auxier of Block House Bottom visited here recently.
O. J. Conley has gone to Breathitt county.
Jim Tole is just recovering from an attack of erysipelas.
Groceries, Billups, Walts and Morris; hardwaremen Seagraves and Magruder; tobaccoist Moore were calling on our merchants Thursday. Blackburn Bros. are delivering lumber for R. R.
Mr. Harwood goes to Prestonsburg every Sunday. Miss Polly Spencer is visiting friends here.
We are informed that Mr. Lotts and Webster Greer have been very seriously afflicted in hands and feet as a result of shoeing and doctoring horses having scratches. For a time amputation was thought necessary. Samph Johnson says that only four out of two hundred peach trees on his farm have blossomed. The fruitful trees are near top of ridge, while all others are lower down. This is an object lesson, though not new to travelers or readers. Some of our saw mills, which had been using our creeks as receptacles for saw dust to great annoyance of dwellers below, have found a better way and the proven themselves respectful of their neighbors. All honor to such! There is much sound doctrine in the letter from Manila by "Progress" in a late issue of the Paintsville Herald. One who can count knows the value of good roads; but will the time ever come when officials will apply the same sound business principles in public matters that they do in private affairs? The roads in this neighborhood are in a deplorable condition. Has the Legislature left our county officers powerless? Can our friend "Progress" show us a better way? If our officials should vigorously push matters, what percentage of our people will endorse them? We believe that this neighborhood will generously support a strong move on the part of our officials.

HERE!

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Price—50c per Suit.

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